

the postwar generation, privatization, and Old Age, Survivors, and Disability Insurance program, receiving testimony from Jagadeesh Gokhale, Federal Reserve Bank of Cleveland, Cleveland, Ohio; Andrew A. Samwick, Dartmouth College, Hanover, New

Hampshire; Don K. Kebodeaux, First Financial Capital Corporation, Houston, Texas; and Henry J. Aaron and Gary Burtless, both of the Brookings Institution, Washington, D.C.

Hearings continue on Friday, January 22.

House of Representatives

Chamber Action

Bills Introduced: 103 public bills, H.R. 323–425; 4 private bills, H.R. 426–429; and 18 resolutions, H.J. Res. 20–21, H. Con. Res. 11–18, and H. Res. 21–28, were introduced.

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Reports Filed: The following reports were filed:

Filed on January 2: Activities Report of the Committee on Small Business, 105th Congress (H. Rept. 105–849);

Filed on January 2: Activities Report of the Committee on House Oversight, 105th Congress (H. Rept. 105–850);

Filed on January 3: Report of the Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns with the People's Republic of China (H. Rept. 105–851); and

H.R. 68, to amend section 20 of the Small Business Act and make technical corrections in Title III of the Small Business Investment Act (H. Rept. 106–1).

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Members Sworn: Representatives Gallegly, Hoyer, Molloy, and Stark presented themselves in the well and were administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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House Officers: Pursuant to H. Res. 1, Mr. Wilson S. Livingood, Sergeant at Arms, presented himself in the well and was administered the oath of office by the Speaker.

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Oath of Office: Pursuant to H. Res. 12, Representative George Miller was administered the oath of office on Jan. 7, 1999 by Judge Ellen Sickles James, Retired.

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Oath of Office: Pursuant to H. Res. 13, Representative Sam Farr was administered the oath of office on Jan 8, 1999 by Marc B. Poche, Associate Justice, Court of Appeal.

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Morning Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that on legislative days of Monday and Tuesday during the first session of the 106th Congress that the House shall convene 90 minutes earlier than the time otherwise established by order of the House solely for the purpose of conducting "morning-hour

debate" except that on Tuesdays after May 4, 1999 the House shall convene for that purpose one hour earlier than the time otherwise established.

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Adjournment Resolution: The House agreed to H. Con. Res. 11, providing that when the House adjourns today, it stand adjourned until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 2, 1999.

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Suspension of the Rules: Agreed by unanimous consent that it be in order at any time on Wednesday, February 3, 1999, for the Speaker to entertain motions that the House suspend the rules, provided that the Speaker or his designee consult with the Minority Leader or his designee on the designation of any matter for consideration pursuant to this request.

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Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns with the People's Republic of China: The Chair reappoints the following members to the Select Committee on U.S. National Security and Military/Commercial Concerns with the People's Republic of China: Representatives Cox of California, Goss, Bereuter, Hansen, Weldon of Pennsylvania, Dicks, Spratt, Roybal-Allard, and Scott.

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Committee Election: Agreed by unanimous consent that any references to the Committee on Government Reform and Oversight and the Committee on National Security in H. Res. 7 adopted on January 6, 1999, be changed to the Committee on Government Reform and the Committee on Armed Services, respectively. And, that the election of Mr. Dixon to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence by the adoption of H. Res. 7 be vacated.

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Board of Regents of the Smithsonian: The Chair appointed the following to the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution: Representatives Regula and Sam Johnson of Texas.

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Official Advisors Re Trade Agreements: The Chair appointed the following to be accredited by the President as official advisors to the United States delegations to international conferences, meetings, and negotiation sessions relating to trade agreements

during the first session of the 106th Congress: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Levin.

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Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: The Chair appointed the following members to the Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence: Representatives Lewis of California, McCollum, Castle, Boehlert, Bass, Gibbons, LaHood, and Wilson.

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Clerk Designation: Read a letter from the Clerk wherein he designated Mr. Daniel F. C. Crowley, Deputy Clerk, to sign papers and do all other acts under the name of the Clerk in case of his temporary absence or disability.

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Communication from the Committee on Ways and Means: Read a letter from the Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means wherein he forwarded the Committee's recommendations for certain designations required by law for the 106th Congress: The Committee designated the following members to serve on the Joint Committee on Taxation: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Stark. The Committee recommended that the following members serve as official advisors for international conference meetings and negotiation sessions on trade agreements: Representatives Archer, Crane, Thomas, Rangel, and Levin.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Cox of California wherein he requested a leave of absence from the Committee on Government Reform. Without objection, the resignation was accepted.

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Recess: The House recessed at 2:50 and reconvened at 8:41 p.m.

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Committee Resignation: Read a letter from Representative Miller of Florida wherein he resigned from the Committee on the Budget. Without objection, the resignation was accepted.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 21, electing Representatives Collins and Wamp to the Committee on the Budget.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 22, electing Representatives Hefley, Knollenberg, Portman, and Camp to the Committee on Standards of Official Conduct.

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Meeting Hour: Agreed by unanimous consent that when the House adjourns today, it stand adjourned until 2 p.m. tomorrow, unless the House receives a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 11, in which case the House shall stand adjourned pursuant to that concurrent resolution.

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Committee Election: Agreed to H. Res. 23, electing Representative Hill to the Committee on Agriculture; Representative Larson to the Committee on Armed Services; Representatives Pomeroy, Delahunt, Meeks of New York, Lee, Crowley, and Hoeffel to the Committee on International Relations; Representatives Weiner and Capuano to the Committee on Science; and Representatives Baird and Schakowsky to the Committee on Small Business.

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Resignations and Appointments: Agreed that notwithstanding any adjournment of the House until Tuesday, February 2, 1999, the Speaker, Majority Leader, and Minority Leader be authorized to accept resignations and to make appointments authorized by law or by the House.

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State of the Union Address: President Clinton delivered his State of the Union address before a joint session of Congress. He was escorted into the House Chamber by a committee comprised of Representatives Arney, Watts of Oklahoma, Fowler, Dickey, Hutchinson, Gephardt, Bonior, Frost, Menendez, Berry, Snyder, and Senators Lott, Nickles, Thurmond, Stevens, Domenici, Warner, Daschle, Reid, Mikulski, Breaux, Kerry, Dorgan, Torricelli, Murray, Rockefeller, and Durbin. The President's message was referred to the Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered printed as a House Document (H. Doc. 106–1).

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Senate Messages: Messages delivered to the Clerk on Jan. 8, 1999 and Jan. 15, 1999 from the Senate appear on pages H248–49.

Quorum Calls—Votes: No recorded votes or quorum calls developed during the proceedings of the House today.

Adjournment: The House met at 2:00 p.m. and pursuant to H. Con. Res. 11, the House adjourned at 10:34 p.m. until 12:30 p.m. on Tuesday, February 2 for morning hour debate or, under the previous order of the House, until 2 p.m. tomorrow, unless the House sooner receives a message from the Senate transmitting its concurrence in H. Con. Res. 11.

Committee Meetings

COMMITTEE ORGANIZATION

Committee on International Relations: Met for organizational purposes.

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Committee on Resources: Met for organizational purposes.